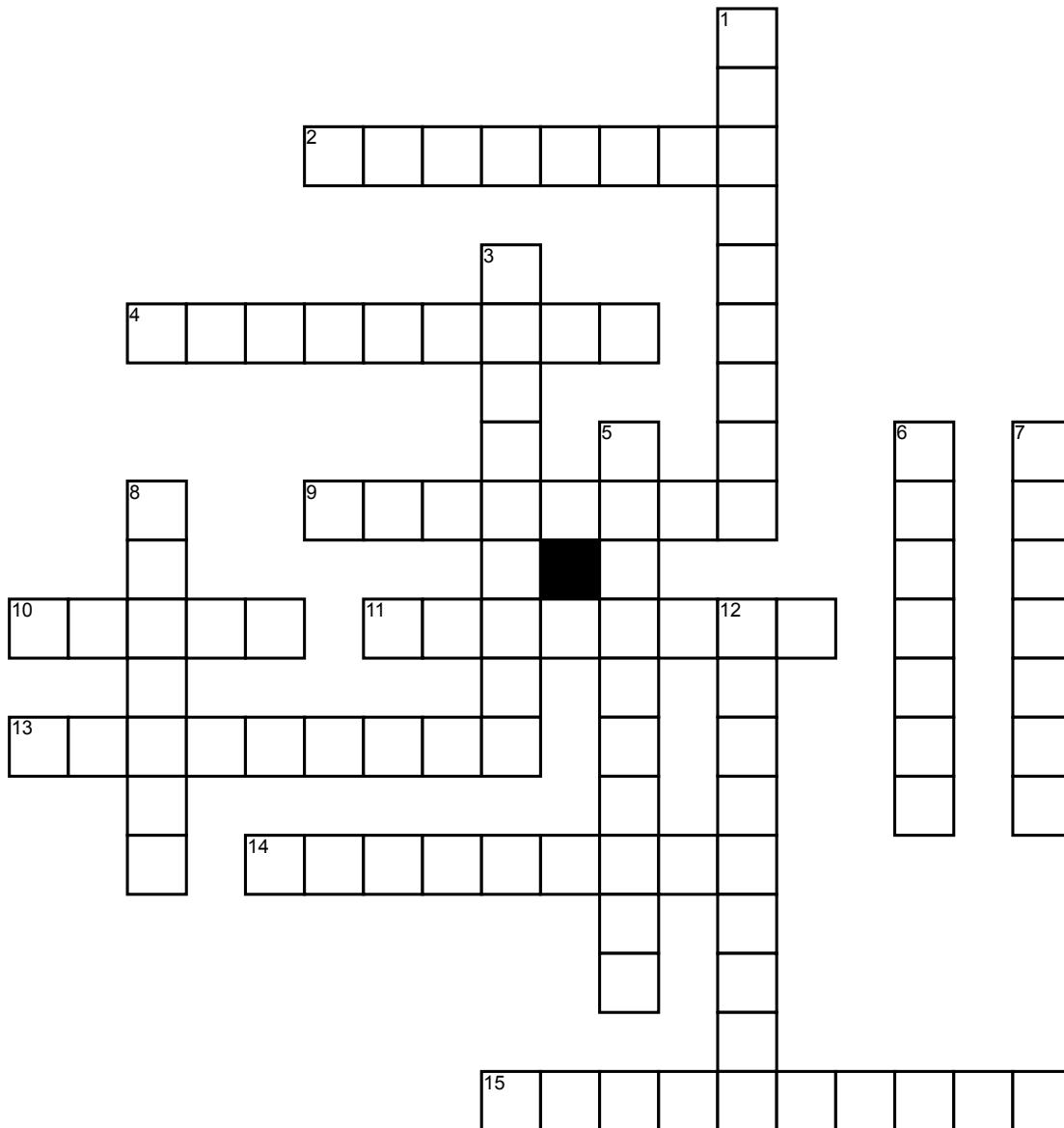


Ecology Crossword Puzzle



Across

- 2.** an organism that obtains energy by feeding on other organisms
4. series of steps in which organisms transfer energy by eating and being eaten
9. organism that obtains energy by eating both plants and animals
10. a large area with similar ecosystems and climates
11. an organism that makes its own food

13. the part of earth where life exists

14. all the different populations that live together in an area

15. organisms that break down and absorb nutrients from dead organisms

Down

1. organism that obtains energy by eating only plants

3. organism that obtains energy by eating animals

5. all the members of one species in a particular area

6. the place where an organism lives

7. two or more food chains combined

8. The study of how living things interact with each other and their environment

12. living and nonliving things in an environment, together with their interactions